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The following is a list of bills acted upon by committee during the period 05/11/2009 to 05/15/2009:

Appropriations

Substitute for H.B. No. 5495 (COMM) (File Nos. 501 and 860) AN ACT CONCERNING FAIR ADVERTISING FOR CONNECTICUT FARM WINERIES.

05/11/2009 Joint Favorable

Substitute for H.B. No. 6187 (RAISED) (File No. 67) AN ACT MANDATING EMPLOYERS PROVIDE PAID SICK LEAVE TO EMPLOYEES.

05/11/2009 Joint Favorable Substitute

Substitute for H.B. No. 6393 (File Nos. 398 and 824) AN ACT CONCERNING TRANSPORTATION, MOTOR VEHICLES, HIGHWAY SAFETY AND SPECIAL TRANSPORTATION FUND.

05/11/2009 Joint Favorable

Substitute for H.B. No. 6697 (RAISED) (File No. 750) AN ACT ESTABLISHING A SENTENCING COMMISSION.

05/11/2009 Joint Favorable Substitute

Substitute for S.B. No. 383 (COMM) (File Nos. 299 and 838) AN ACT EXEMPTING REGIONAL PLANNING ORGANIZATIONS FROM PAYMENT OF LOCAL PROPERTY TAXES.

05/11/2009 Joint Favorable

S.B. No. 917 (RAISED) (File No. 646) AN ACT CONCERNING THE TRAINING OF REGISTRARS OF VOTERS.

05/11/2009 Joint Favorable

Substitute for S.B. No. 1019 (RAISED) (File Nos. 395 and 834) AN ACT REQUIRING BIODIESEL-BLENDED HEATING OIL AND DIESEL FUEL.

05/11/2009 Joint Favorable Substitute

Substitute for S.B. No. 1033 (RAISED) (File No. 409) AN ACT ESTABLISHING A TAX CREDIT FOR GREEN BUILDINGS.

05/11/2009 Joint Favorable Substitute

S.B. No. 1061 (RAISED) (File No. 847) AN ACT CONCERNING NATIONAL GUARD TRAINING FUNDS.

05/11/2009 Joint Favorable

Substitute for S.B. No. 1063 (RAISED) (File No. 849) AN ACT CONCERNING ELIGIBILITY FOR BENEFITS FOR VETERANS IN SERVICE IN TIME OF WAR.

05/11/2009 Joint Favorable

Substitute for S.B. No. 1086 (RAISED) (File No. 430) AN ACT CONCERNING THE CREDITING OF SOCIAL SECURITY DEPENDENT BENEFITS.

05/11/2009 Joint Favorable Substitute

Banks

Substitute for H.B. No. 6339 (COMM) (File No. 738) AN ACT CONCERNING THE FORFEITURE OF PROPERTY OBTAINED BY SECURITIES FRAUD.

05/13/2009 Joint Favorable

Commerce

No Committee Actions Reported.

Education

H.B. No. 5227 (COMM) (File No. 365) AN ACT ALLOWING TOWNS TO CREATE SCHOLARSHIP FUNDS THROUGH MUNICIPAL BONDING.

05/13/2009 Joint Favorable

Substitute for S.B. No. 633 (COMM) (File Nos. 301 and 841) AN ACT ESTABLISHING A MENTORING PROGRAM FOR CERTAIN HIGH SCHOOL AND COLLEGE STUDENTS.

05/13/2009 Joint Favorable

Energy and Technology

Substitute for H.B. No. 6284 (RAISED) (File No. 21) AN ACT CONCERNING ADOPTION OF A MODEL ENERGY CODE AND GREEN BUILDING STANDARDS.

05/12/2009 Joint Favorable

Substitute for H.B. No. 6470 (RAISED) (File Nos. 134 and 823) AN ACT CONCERNING RESIDENTIAL RETAIL HEATING OIL AND PROPANE CONTRACTS.

05/12/2009 Joint Favorable

Environment

Substitute for H.B. No. 6595 (RAISED) (File No. 571) AN ACT CONCERNING THE STATE PLAN OF CONSERVATION AND DEVELOPMENT POLICIES PLAN.

05/12/2009 Joint Favorable

Executive and Legislative Nominations

No Committee Actions Reported.

Finance, Revenue and Bonding

Substitute for H.B. No. 6285 (RAISED) (File Nos. 133 and 895) AN ACT CONCERNING FINGERPRINT COLLECTION.

05/12/2009 Joint Favorable

Substitute for S.B. No. 152 (COMM) (File Nos. 388 and 906) AN ACT PROHIBITING OPEN ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGE CONTAINERS IN MOTOR VEHICLES.

05/14/2009 Joint Favorable

Substitute for S.B. No. 154 (COMM) (File No. 389) AN ACT CONCERNING THE ADMINISTRATION OF BRADLEY INTERNATIONAL AIRPORT. (As amended by Senate Amendment Schedule "A").

05/12/2009 Joint Favorable

S.B. No. 1081 (RAISED) (File No. 356) AN ACT CONCERNING THE FUNCTIONS OF THE DEPARTMENT OF MOTOR VEHICLES.

05/12/2009 Joint Favorable

Substitute for S.B. No. 1157 (RAISED) (File No. 678) AN ACT CONCERNING FUNDING FOR LEGAL SERVICES AND JUDICIAL BRANCH TECHNOLOGY.

05/12/2009 Joint Favorable

General Law

Substitute for S.B. No. 1119 (RAISED) (File No. 696) AN ACT ESTABLISHING AN OFFICE OF CONDOMINIUM OMBUDSMAN AND REVISING CERTAIN COMMON INTEREST COMMUNITY REQUIREMENTS.

05/13/2009 MOTION FAILED

Government Administration and Elections

Substitute for H.B. No. 5541 (COMM) (File Nos. 153 and 825) AN ACT CONCERNING THE SITUS OF MOTOR VEHICLES FOR TAXATION PURPOSES.

05/12/2009 Joint Favorable

Substitute for H.B. No. 6403 (RAISED) (File Nos. 490 and 862) AN ACT CONCERNING ACCESS TO RECORDS OF THE DEPARTMENT OF CHILDREN AND FAMILIES.

05/12/2009 Joint Favorable

H.B. No. 6422 (RAISED) (File No. 220) AN ACT CONCERNING FOREIGN-OWNED COMPANIES DOMICILED IN CONNECTICUT.

05/12/2009 Joint Favorable

Substitute for H.B. No. 6511 (RAISED) (File Nos. 434 and 908) AN ACT CONCERNING TRANSPARENCY AND OVERSIGHT OF GASOLINE MARKETS.

05/15/2009 Joint Favorable

Substitute for H.B. No. 6710 (RAISED) (File No. 728) AN ACT CONCERNING COURT OPERATIONS.

05/12/2009 Joint Favorable

Government Administration and Elections (Continued)

Substitute for S.B. No. 782 (COMM) (File Nos. 598 and 921) AN ACT PROMOTING THE USE OF HEALTH INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY.

05/15/2009 Joint Favorable

Substitute for S.B. No. 879 (RAISED) (File Nos. 527 and 910) AN ACT CONCERNING REORGANIZATION OF THE DEPARTMENT OF CHILDREN AND FAMILIES.

05/15/2009 Joint Favorable

Substitute for S.B. No. 1002 (RAISED) (File Nos. 173 and 845) AN ACT CONCERNING THE DEPARTMENT OF CONSUMER PROTECTION.

05/12/2009 Joint Favorable

Substitute for S.B. No. 1048 (RAISED) (File No. 545) AN ACT CONCERNING BULK PURCHASING OF PRESCRIPTION DRUGS.

05/12/2009 Joint Favorable

Higher Education and Employment Advancement

H.B. No. 6087 (COMM) (File No. 505) AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE UNIVERSITY OF CONNECTICUT TO RECEIVE AND TREAT SEWAGE FROM THE TOWN OF MANSFIELD.

05/13/2009 Joint Favorable

Housing

Substitute for S.B. No. 1003 (RAISED) (File No. 697) AN ACT CONCERNING AFFIRMATIVE ACTION PLANS, HOUSING DISCRIMINATION AND ATTORNEY'S FEES. 05/14/2009 Joint Favorable

Human Services

S.B. No. 1163 (RAISED) (File No. 855) AN ACT CONCERNING EXPENDITURES OF STATE AGENCIES PROVIDING PUBLIC HEALTH, MENTAL HEALTH AND DEVELOPMENTAL SERVICES.

05/13/2009 Joint Favorable

Insurance and Real Estate

Substitute for S.B. No. 920 (RAISED) (File No. 251) AN ACT CLARIFYING PENSION OBLIGATIONS OF CONTRACTORS AND SUBCONTRACTORS.

05/13/2009 Joint Favorable

Substitute for S.B. No. 933 (RAISED) (File No. 843) AN ACT CONCERNING CHANGES TO VARIOUS TAX STATUTES.

05/13/2009 Joint Favorable

Joint Committee on Legislative Management

No Committee Actions Reported.

Judiciary

No Committee Actions Reported.

Labor and Public Employees

No Committee Actions Reported.

Planning and Development

 $\mbox{H.B.}$ No. 5795 (COMM) (File No. 502) AN ACT CONCERNING SHELLFISH WATER TESTING.

05/14/2009 Joint Favorable

H.B. No. 6323 (RAISED) (File No. 821) AN ACT PERMITTING "FIFTY-FIFTY" COUPON GAMES AT CERTAIN ORGANIZATION FUNCTIONS AND ATHLETIC EVENTS.

05/11/2009 Joint Favorable

H.B. No. 6559 (RAISED) (File No. 865) AN ACT CONCERNING THE USE OF THE MASHANTUCKET PEQUOT AND MOHEGAN FUND FOR PROPERTY TAX RELIEF.

05/11/2009 Joint Favorable

Substitute for H.B. No. 6561 (RAISED) (File No. 898) AN ACT CONCERNING STATE SUPPORT FOR REGIONAL INITIATIVES.

05/14/2009 Joint Favorable

Substitute for S.B. No. 871 (RAISED) (File No. 146) AN ACT INCREASING THE ENFORCEMENT AUTHORITY OF THE DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION.

05/11/2009 Joint Favorable

Substitute for S.B. No. 891 (RAISED) (File No. 340) AN ACT MODERNIZING CONNECTICUT FERTILIZER LAW.

05/14/2009 Joint Favorable

S.B. No. 1000 (RAISED) (File No. 844) AN ACT CONCERNING FEES FOR THE LEVY OF AN EXECUTION.

05/11/2009 Joint Favorable

Substitute for S.B. No. 1080 (RAISED) (File No. 606) AN ACT CONCERNING ACCESS TO HEALTH AND NUTRITIONAL INFORMATION IN RESTAURANTS.

05/11/2009 Joint Favorable

Substitute for S.B. No. 1142 (RAISED) (File No. 655) AN ACT CONCERNING RELIEF OF STATE MANDATES ON SCHOOL DISTRICTS.

05/11/2009 Joint Favorable

Program Review and Investigations

No Committee Actions Reported.

Public Health

Substitute for H.B. No. 6336 (RAISED) (File Nos. 376 and 880) AN ACT CONCERNING NURSES PURSUING ADVANCED DEGREES. (As amended by House Amendment Schedule "A").

05/12/2009 Joint Favorable

Substitute for H.B. No. 6582 (RAISED) (File No. 259) AN ACT ESTABLISHING THE CONNECTICUT HEALTHCARE PARTNERSHIP.

05/12/2009 Joint Favorable

Substitute for H.B. No. 6687 (RAISED) (File No. 749) AN ACT CONCERNING VARIOUS REVISIONS TO THE EDUCATION STATUTES.

05/12/2009 Joint Favorable Substitute

Public Safety and Security

Substitute for H.B. No. 6671 (RAISED) (File No. 781) AN ACT CONCERNING THE FORFEITURE OF MONEY AND PROPERTY RELATED TO CHILD SEXUAL EXPLOITATION AND HUMAN TRAFFICKING AND THE POSSESSION OF CHILD PORNOGRAPHY.

05/13/2009 Joint Favorable

S.B. No. 1128 (RAISED) (File No. 685) AN ACT CONCERNING INTERRUPTION OF TELECOMMUNICATIONS SERVICE, SCRAP METAL PROCESSORS AND MOTOR VEHICLE RECYCLERS.

05/13/2009 Joint Favorable

Regulations Review

No Committee Actions Reported.

Select Committee on Aging

No Committee Actions Reported.

Select Committee on Children

No Committee Actions Reported.

Select Committee on Veterans' Affairs

No Committee Actions Reported.

Transportation

No Committee Actions Reported.